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This is a request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
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- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iv. ☐ Other

**2. Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other

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- i. ☒ RCE Fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e), the amount of \$790.00.
- ii. ☐ Extension of Time fee, the amount of \$
- iii. ☐ Other

- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed

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